

In the Claims

1-3. (Canceled herein)

4. (Original) A composition of matter which comprises an isolated peptidic sequence according to SEQ ID NO: 2.

5. (Currently amended) A composition of matter which comprises an isolated peptidic sequence ~~comprising~~ which is amino acids 36-217 of SEQ ID NO: 2.

6. (Currently amended) A composition of matter which comprises an isolated peptidic sequence ~~comprising~~ which is amino acids 233-794 of SEQ ID NO: 2.

7-17. (Canceled herein)

18. (New) An isolated peptide of SEQ ID NO:2.

19. (New) An isolated peptide which is amino acids 36-217 of SEQ ID NO:2.

20. (New) An isolated peptide which is amino acids 233-794 of SEQ ID NO:2.